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Kawasaki Motors Corp., U.S.A.

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Administrator National Highway Traffic Safety Administration 400 Seventh Street, SW. Washington, DC 20590

Attention:

VIN Coordinator

Subject: 2001 Model Year Motorcycle VIN Information

Dear Sir / Madam:

In accordance with the requirements of 49 CFR 565.7, Kawasaki herein submits the following information as currently available for the 2001 model year:

1) VIN information and vehicle horsepower figures for the following model within the 2001 model year:

Model	VN800-E1
Model Year	2001
VIN	JKBVNCE1() 1A
Number of Cylinders	2
Description	Street
Max. Power (PS)	58
Production Start	September 1st, 2000

2) Kawasaki's VIN coding description.

Sincerely,

KAWASAKI MOTORS

David Corey

Government Relations Product Specialist

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#### KAWASAKI VIN CODING DESCRIPTION - Pg. 1

#### Description Characters (s) Manufacturer Kawsaki Heavy Industries, Ltd., Kawasaki 1, 2, 3 Motors Manufacturing Corp., U.S.A. Kawasaki Motors (Phils.) Corporation Kawasaki Motors Enterprise (Thailand) P.T. Kawasaki Motor Indonesia JKA. JKB or JK1 is used for each model in relation to nominal engine displacement code in Character 6 shown below. NH4 is also used for model manufactured by P.T. Kawasaki Motor Indonesia. 4, 5 Model Line Identification, Engine Type For On-Road Motorcycle ZXSuper Sports, In-line 4 cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle. Europian Sports, In-line 4 cylinder, air cooled, 4 stroke cycle. ZR ZN Easy Riding, In-line 6 cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle ZG Touring, In-line 4 cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle. American Sports, In-line 4 cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle. ZLEasy riding, Vee 2 cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle. VN EX Super Sports. In-line 2 cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle. EN Easy riding, In-line 2 cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle. ΕJ Classic sports. In-line 2 cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle ΚZ Police and Easy riding, In-line 4 cylinder, air cooled, 4 stroke cycle. KL Dual purpose, Single cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle. KE Dual purpose, Single cylinder, air cooled, 2 stroke cycle. LX Dual purpose, Single cylinder, water cooled, 4 stroke cycle. AN Standard Moped For Off-Road Motorcycle LX Off-road motorcycle, 4 stroke cycle. DX Off-road motorcycle, 2 stroke cycle. For Competition KX Competition, 2 stroke cycle. For ATV Utility four wheel ATV LF VF Automatic four wheel ATV EF Sports utility four wheel ATV SF Sports four wheel ATV

## KAWASAKI VIN CODING DESCRIPTION Continued - Pg. 2

#### 6 Nominal Engine Displacement

Within " JKA " shown above for M/C and ATV  Within " JKB " shown above for M/C and ATV		shown above	Within " JK1 " shown above Only for Mule		Within " NH4 " shown above for M/C manufactured by P. T. Kawasaki Motor Indomesia		
CODE	NOMINAL <u>DISPLACE-</u> <u>MENT</u>	<u>CODE</u>	NOMINAL <u>DISPLACE-</u> <u>MENT</u>	CODE	NOMINAL <u>DISPLACE-</u> <u>MENT</u>	CODE	NOMINAL <u>DISPLACE-</u> <u>MENT</u>
A B C D E F G H J K L M N P R S T V	1300 cc 1100 1000 750 650 550 450 440 420 400 250 250 175 125 110 500	A B C D E F G H J K L M N P R S T V	1500 cc 220 800 65 Reserved	A B C D E F G H J K L M N P R S T V	540 cc 300 620 950 Reserved 450 Reserved	A B C D E F G H J K L M N P R S T V	Reserved
W X Y 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	80 60 50 560 900 150 600 160 700 185 300 1200	W X Y 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		W X Y 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		W X Y 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	

## KAWASAKI VIN CODING DESCRIPTION Continued - Pg. 3

Characters (s)	<u>Description</u>					
7	Model Variation and Engine Characteristics.					
	This code is used to indicate styling or feature differences between models or similar specifications as represented by characters 4,5 and 6model line, basic engine type, and nominal engine displacement.					
8	Net brake horsepower	brake horsepower				
	engine horsepower. Any	mber 1 to indicate the net brake hanges in this specification quiring changes to any other e coded " 2 ".				
9	Check digit					
	The check digit will be calculated in accordance with the requirements of 49 CFR Sec. 565.4 (c).					
10	Model Year					
	The model year will be designated in accordance with 49 CFR Sec. 565.4 (d).					
	1980 A	1998 W				
	1994 R 1995 S	1999 X 2000 Y				
	1996 T	2001 1				
	1997 V	2002 2				
11	Plant of manufacturer					
	Kawasaki motorcycles are manufactured in the following locations and are coded accordingly.					
	A manufactured by Kawasaki Heavy industries, at Akashi, Japan B manufactured by Kawasaki Motors Manufacturing Corp., U.S.A. C manufactured by Kawasaki Motors (Phils.) Corporation D manufactured by Kawasaki Motors Enterprise (Thailand) K manufactured by P.T. Kawasaki Motor Indonesia					
12-17	Production Sequence					
	These numbers will be assigned sequentially within a model as defined by characters 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10 and 11.  Not all models will begin with 000001.					